



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
Re: Appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences

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In re PATENT application of  
RAVISHANKAR et al.

Group Art Unit: 2152

Application No. 09/820,884

Examiner: LESNIEWSKI, Victor D

Filed: March 30, 2001

Docket : 95-461

Title: MESSAGING SYSTEM CONFIGURED FOR SELECTIVELY ACCESSING SUBSCRIBER  
SPOKEN NAME FROM A DIRECTORY SERVER BASED ON DETERMINED UNAVAILABILITY  
OF MESSAGING SERVER

Date: November 20, 2006  
(November 18, 2006 = Saturday)

Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

1 ☒ **NOTICE OF APPEAL:** Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences  
from the decision (not Advisory Action) dated July 18, 2006  
of the Examiner twice/finally rejecting claims 1-21, 23-31, and 34-43

2 ☐ **BRIEF** on appeal in this application.

3 ☐ An **ORAL HEARING** is respectfully requested under Rule 194 (due two months after Examiner's Answer -- unextendable).  
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4 ☐ Reply Brief is attached (due two months after Examiner's Answer -- unextendable).

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